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Probate cases on this calendar are currently under review by the probate examiners. Review of some probate cases may not be completed and therefore have not been posted.

If your probate case has not been posted please check back again later.

Thank you for your patience.

1 Atif Adem Jr & Amir Adem (Guardianship)**Case No. 03CEPR01329**

Guardian Earsey Lollis (Pro Per)

Guardian Henry Lollis (Pro Per)

Petition for Termination of Guardianship (Atif Adem only)

Atif Age: 16 years	EARSY and HENRY LOLLIS co-guardians, are petitioners and request to terminate guardianship of Atif Adem only.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
Amir Age: 19 years		
	Earsy and Heny Lollis godparents, were appointed co-guardians on 11-1-2004	<u>OFF CALENDAR;</u> Dismissal entered 3/2/2016.
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File 1- Adem

Petition for Termination of Guardianship

		MARIA BAUTISTA , paternal grandmother/guardian, is petitioner. See petition for details.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS: 1. Item 5 of petition regarding reason for termination of guardianship is blank. 2. Item 4b of Notice of Hearing is blank regarding address of Court. 3. Item 6 of proof of service of Notice of Hearing is blank as to name, address, phone number and if applicable, county of registration and number of the person serving. 4. Need proof of mailed service of Notice of Hearing on: a. Vanessa Noriega (mother) b. Antonio Bautista (paternal grandfather) c. Victor Manuel Noriega (maternal grandfather) d. Kathy Ann Noriega (maternal grandmother)
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			File 2- Bautista

Guardian Worden, Ernestine (Pro Per – Paternal Grandmother – Guardian)
 Petitioner Bolin, Jill (Pro Per – Mother – Petitioner)

Probate Status Hearing RE: Consideration of Visitation

		ERNESTINE WORDEN , Paternal Grandmother, was appointed guardian on 7/15/08. JILL BOLIN , Mother, filed a Petition for Termination of Guardianship on 10/5/15. On 2/1/16, the Court denied the petition, but set this status hearing re consideration of visitation. Minute Order 2/1/16 states: A written visitation request is to be filed and served no later than 2/28/16; the Court encourages the parties to discuss the issue in the interim.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS: Note: As of 3/7/16, no written request for visitation has been filed pursuant to the minute order of 2/1/16.
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			File 3- Children

4 Francisco Isaiah Mora (GUARD/P) Case No. 07CEPR00981

Guardian Emma Vasquez (pro per – maternal great-grandmother/Guardian)

Attorney: Michelle Tostenrude (for Juan Mora

Probate Status Hearing RE: Visitation

		Please see case file for details.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
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		File 4 - Mora	

First and Final Account and Report of Administrator and Petition for Its Settlement, for Allowance of Compensation to Administrator and Attorneys for Ordinary Services and for Final Distribution

DOD: 1/13/13		<p>KENNETH W. PRICE, Son and Administrator with Full IAEA with bond of \$466,500.00, is Petitioner.</p> <p>Account period: 1/14/13 – 12/30/15 Accounting: \$629,652.02 Beginning POH: \$595,785.63 Ending POH: \$475,443.85 (cash)</p> <p>Administrator (Statutory): \$13,461.79</p> <p>Attorney (Statutory): \$13,461.79 (to be split between Attorneys Motsenbocker and Hiyama, \$6,730.89 each)</p> <p>Closing: \$3,000.00</p> <p>Petitioner states after the decedent's death it is believed that her husband, Virgil Strait, wrote two personal checks to him from the decedent's personal account, cashed an Exxon dividends check, and collected rent from certain property. Mr. Strait died 1/30/15, and a probate has been opened 15CEPR00565. Petitioner filed a creditor's claim for \$17,356.52 in that estate, which has been allowed. Pursuant to correspondence from Attorney Gregory J. Roberts at Exhibit C, that amount will be withheld from this estate's distribution to that estate.</p> <p>Unusual expenditures: Petitioner states he erroneously assumed that certain property was held by the decedent and therefore collected rents; however, it was later learned that that property had been held by the decedent's mother, and an estate was opened therefor 13CEPR00872. Costs of that administration were advanced by this estate, as that estate consisted only of real property, no cash except for rents that were being collected in this estate.</p> <p>Petitioner states he made an advance distribution to Marc E. Price of \$1,210.00.</p> <p>Distribution pursuant to intestate succession and the above circumstances: Estate of Virgil Strait: \$137,339.08 Kenneth W. Price: \$154,695.60 Marc E. Price: \$153,485.60</p>	<p>NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:</p> <p align="center"><u>SEE PAGE 2</u></p>
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File 5- Straight

NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS (Cont'd):

1. Items #1 and #2 on I&A #3 filed 12/18/13 appear identical (same amount of shares, same value, same CUSIP number). Likewise, the petition at #18 appears to indicate that both identical sets of shares were sold for identical amounts. The Court may require verification that these identical sets of shares are, in fact, separate assets.
2. Petitioner includes the \$17,356.52 owed by the Estate of Virgil Strait to this estate in the fee base for statutory compensation; however, this amount was never received and this amount is simply being deducted from that beneficiary's share. Therefore, including this in the fee base is improper. Need recalculation of statutory compensation and distribution shares.
3. Petitioner states the creditor's claim filed 11/25/13 in the amount of \$3,231.54 was paid; however, it does not appear that Petitioner filed and properly served an Allowance of Creditor's Claim pursuant to Probate Code §9250. The Court may require Allowance to be filed and served, or may require a satisfaction or withdrawal of the claim from the creditor.
4. Schedule F indicates that the real property valued at \$95,000.00 was foreclosed; however, Petitioner does not describe the circumstances of the foreclosure. The Court may require clarification as to how this was in the best interest of the estate.
5. An advance distribution to beneficiary Marc E. Price was made without Court authorization.
6. Need revised order pursuant to the above issues, as well as Local Rule 7.6.1.F, which requires that some portion of the order must appear on the page upon which the judge's signature is affixed.

Probate Status Hearing RE: Transfer of Personal Property

DOD: 01/08/15	<p>BROOKE A. CASTLE, Granddaughter, was appointed Conservator of the Person and Estate on 8-15-13.</p> <p>Conservator's Second and Final Account was approved on 11/09/15. The Order Settling Second and Final Account authorized the conservator to transfer the balance of the property on hand, after payment of authorized fees, to Clayton James Stott, Successor Trustee of THE PATRICIA STOLL GREGORY STOLL SURVIVOR'S TRUST. An affidavit pursuant to Probate Code §§ 13100 – 13116 by Clayton James Stott was filed 10/19/15.</p> <p>Minute Order from 10/19/15 set this status hearing regarding transfer of personal property.</p>	<p>NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:</p> <p>Continued from 1/11/16. As of 3/7/16, nothing further has been filed.</p> <p>1. Need status update regarding transfer of personal property.</p>
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Probate Status Hearing re: Proof of Notice to DMV

	FREMONT BANK , former Trustee, petitioned the court for approval of their first and final account.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
		Continued from 11/30/15. Minute order states Counsel represents that the lien title will not be issued by the state until January.
Cont. from 080315, 083115, 113015	HERB THOMAS is the current successor trustee.	<p>1. Need proof that the Trust is a lienholder on the vehicle or current written status report pursuant to Local Rule 7.5 which states in all matters set for status hearing verified status reports must be filed no later than 10 days before the hearing. Status Reports must comply with the applicable code requirements. Notice of the status hearing, together with a copy of the Status Report shall be served on all necessary parties.</p> <p>Note: The Hearing on the First Account was continued to 3/23/16.</p>
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	<p>The first and final account showed that Fremont Bank as Trustee for the Trust purchased a handicap equipped van for the beneficiary and distributed the van directly to the beneficiary.</p> <p>Minute Order dated 6/29/15 states the court orders that the DMV is to be noticed that the Trust shall be the lienholder for the vehicle. Counsel is to submit a declaration verified by Herb Thomas.</p> <p>Former Status Report filed on 11/25/15 states Charities Pooled Trust (CPT) has been attempting to secure a lien on the vehicle, however it may not do so until the DMV issues and Electronic Lien Title (ELT). The DMV has informed CPT that the ELT will not be available until January 2016. Once the ELT is received they will be able to place CPT as a lienholder on the vehicle.</p>	<p>Reviewed by: KT</p> <p>Reviewed on: 3/7/16</p> <p>Updates:</p> <p>Recommendation:</p> <p>File 7 – Bertoldi</p>

Second Account and Report of Trustee and Petition for: 1. Ratification of Trustee Fees; 2. Allowance of Periodic Payment of Trustee's Fees; and 3. Allowance of Attorney Fees and Reimbursement for Costs Advanced

Age: 8		MIDLANDS STATE BANK , Trustee without bond, is Petitioner. Account period: 1/1/14 – 12/31/15 Accounting: \$194,286.94 Beginning POH: \$92,640.90 Ending POH: \$175,090.09 (\$6,395.03 cash, securities, vehicle, annuities) Trustee: \$6,250.05 (Pursuant to Order Approving Compromise, Petitioner was authorized to pay itself monthly periodic payments of trustee fees out of the trust estate. Acting in conformity with the Order, Petitioner paid itself monthly trustee fees in the total sum of \$6,250.05 during this account period. Exhibit D provides the fee schedule and services, including 1.75% up to \$250,000, see table thereafter, minimum \$5,000. Disbursements Schedule indicates payments of \$416.67/month) Former Attorney: \$1,705.69 (\$1,087.50 plus \$618.19 in costs, for 6.5 paralegal hours @ \$150/hr and 0.3 attorney hours @ \$375/hr in connection with the first account. Current Attorney: \$5,140.00 (\$4,327.50 for 17.3 attorney and paralegal hours in preparation of this account itemized at Exhibits F, G, plus \$812.50 for an anticipated 2.5 attorney hours @ \$325/hr for appearance at this hearing. Alternatively, if the matter is recommended for approval and no appearance is required, the attorney will reduce the requested amount by \$812.50 to \$4,327.50.) Costs: \$200.00 (filing this petition) <u>SEE ADDITIONAL PAGES</u>	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS: <u>SEE ADDITIONAL PAGES</u>	
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Petitioner prays for an order that:

1. Notice of Hearing has been given as required by law;
2. The allegations contained in this petition are true;
3. The total property on hand consists of cash assets of \$6,395.03, securities of \$118,695.40, a 2014 Honda Odyssey valued at \$49,999.66, and the rights to the income streams from the John Hancock and Prudential annuities for a total of \$175,090.09;
4. Ratifies trustee fees paid to Midland States Bank of \$6,250.05 during this account period;
5. Authorizing and directing Petitioner to pay itself, out of the trust estate, periodic payments of compensation on account during the next accounting period for services rendered as trustee, on a monthly basis, pursuant to the fee schedule set forth in the petition;
6. Authorizing and directing payment to The Urbatsch Law Firm, PC, out of the trust estate, the total of \$1,087.50;
7. Authorizing and directing payment to Gregory J. Lederman, Esq., \$5,140.00 or alternatively \$4,327.50 if recommended for approval;
8. Authorizing and directing reimbursement to Gregory J. Lederman, Esq., \$200.00 in costs; and
9. Any other and further orders that the Court deems just and proper.

SEE ADDITIONAL PAGES

Page 3 – NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:

1. \$133.19 of the costs requested by Petitioner's former attorney are for costs considered by the court to be costs of doing business and not reimbursable pursuant to Local Rule 7.17. The Court may disallow reimbursement for the following amounts:
 - Filing service \$56.85
 - FedEx \$19.79
 - Filing service \$56.55
2. Pursuant to the Order Settling First Account entered 8/7/14, title to the vehicle was to be held by the beneficiary's parent with the trust as lien holder; however, this petition indicates that the vehicle is held as an asset of this trust. The Court may require clarification as to the title of the vehicle.
3. The Receipts schedule indicates a payment from John Hancock of \$34,500 on 1/9/15. Need clarification: Was this payment actually the payment that was due in August 2014, just paid six months late?
4. The Petition to Bring Trust Under Court Jurisdiction filed 2/18/11 requested authorization to purchase life insurance for the beneficiary's parents, Paris and Linda White, and the order thereon authorized \$34,500/year for such purchase. The Trustee's First Account reflected annual payments to ING in 2011, 2012, and 2013, but did not list the insurance as an asset at the close of that account period on 12/31/13. This Second Account does not mention the insurance at all and does not reflect any payments to ING during 2014 and 2015. What is the status of this insurance?
5. Trustee fees were previously authorized to be paid in monthly periodic payments; however, Fresno Superior Court Local Rule 7.19E states when a trust is subject to continuing court supervision, no payment of fees to attorneys, trustees, or others may be made without prior court approval. As such, the Court may require prior Court approval for payment of trustee fees going forward.
6. Need proposed order per Local Rule 7.1.1.F.

Note: If granted, the Court will set a status hearing for the filing of the Third Account as follows:

- If a one-year account is required, Monday, March 6, 2017.
- If a two-year account is required, Monday, March 5, 2018.

If the proper item is filed, status hearing may come off calendar. Otherwise, written status report is required per Local Rule 7.5.

9 Marcus Thomas Areyano (Estate)**Case No. 14CEPR00811****Attorney: Gary G. Bagdasarian (for Petitioner/Administrator Lanae Areyano)**

Waiver of Accounting and Report of Administrator and Petition for its Settlement; Waiver of Administrator's Commissions; for Allowance of Statutory Attorney's Fees, and Costs Reimbursement, and for Final Distribution

DOD: 3/25/14		LANAE AREYANO , Administrator, is petitioner.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS: 1. Need property on hand schedule. California Rules of Court, Rule 7.550(b)(4). 2. Need Allowance or Rejection for the following creditor's claims: a. PG & E in the amount of \$868.21 filed on 10/23/14. b. Fresno County Tax Collector in the amount of \$910.29 filed on 4/6/15. (Note: Notice to Creditors was mailed to the Fresno County Tax Collector on 3/13/15.) 3. Petition states all real estate taxes have been paid. Creditors Claim filed by the Fresno County Tax Collector is for real estate taxes. Need clarification. 4. Petition does not list the creditor's claim of the Fresno County Tax Collector. 5. Need status of Creditor's Claim of Fresno County Tax Collector.
		Accounting is waived.	
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Order	Laura Castillo, as guardian of the Estate of Joshua Areyano – 1/3 interest in real property located in Fresno, 1/3 interest in 2010 Honda Civic and 1/3 interest in personal property and effects.	
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File 9- Areyano

		NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS: <u>OFF CALENDAR.</u> <u>Order on First and Final Account and Distribution signed 05/18/2015.</u>
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Petitioner

Carter, Jim (Pro Per Petitioner)

Petitioner

Burgess, Debra (Pro Per Petitioner)

Amended Petition for Letters of Administration; Authorization to Administer under IAEA

DOD: 2/24/15		<p>JIM CARTER, of AJC Realty Solutions LLC in San Pablo, CA, and DEBRA BURGESS, of Quality Wholesale Homes LLC in Sacramento, CA, are Petitioners and requests appointment as co-administrators and as special administrators with general powers and full authority under IAEA, without bond.</p> <p>Decedent died intestate</p> <p>Residence: Fresno</p> <p>Publication: <i>Need publication</i></p> <p>Estimated value of estate: Personal property: \$5,000.00 Real property: \$174,000.00 (\$184,000.00 less \$10,000.00 in encumbrances)</p> <p>(Note: I&A filed 2/16/16 indicates a residence valued at \$140,000.00 plus household, garage, backyard misc. personal property items valued at \$28,740.00 for a total estate value of \$168,740.00.)</p> <p>Probate Referee: Rick Smith</p> <p>Petitioners state the decedent was divorced or never married and was not survived by children or issue of predeceased child. The decedent was survived by a sister, two cousins, and a niece.</p>	<p>NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Petitioners do not lists themselves or state their relationship to the decedent at #8. Petitioners state they are nominees of a person entitled to Letters, but do not provide any nomination or state who has nominated them. Need clarification. 2. Notice of Petition to Administer Estate was also served on Chase Bank, Home Equity Serv. The Court may require clarification. Is this a creditor of the decedent? Is there any relationship between Petitioners and this entity? 3. Petitioners also checked the box for appointment as special administrator in addition to the box for appointment as administrator. Special administration requires separate petition and clarification of the specific circumstances. 4. Need declination to serve from all relatives with priority of appointment (First Camille Manson, then Vera Jackson and Quentin Strickner) pursuant to Probate Code §§ 8461, 8465. 5. Need date of death of Decedent's deceased sister, Gwendolyn Manson, pursuant to Local Rule 7.1.1.D. <p>SEE ADDITIONAL PAGES</p>	
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6. Need clarification: Is Camille Manson the child of Gwendolyn Manson?
7. It appears from the list provided that Camille Manson, Niece, has the highest priority of appointment and will be the sole heir pursuant to intestate succession, if she is the only relative at the appropriate generation level pursuant to Probate Code §§ 240, 6402. Need clarification: Did the decedent have any other siblings, nieces, or nephews, alive or deceased, and if deceased, need dates of death.
8. Need declination to serve from Camille Manson.
9. Need waiver of bond from Camille Manson or bond of \$179,000.00. (Note: Petitioners provided a waiver of bond signed, but not dated, by Quentin Strickner, a cousin; however, this person would not have priority over Camille Manson.)
10. Need publication pursuant to Probate Code §8120, Local Rule 7.9. (Note: Petitioners previously published for their prior petition, but published in the Reedley Exponent, even though the decedent resided in Fresno. This amended petition contains material differences from the prior petition, including a change to the decedent's name, court date, authority requested, and therefore requires republication. See also Minute Order of 10/29/15.)
11. Petitioners filed an Inventory and Appraisal on 2/16/16, which appears premature since they have not been appointed as personal representatives. The Court may require clarification. Further, given that the inventory of personal property items is valued at a total of \$28,740.00, the Court may require amended I&A with more complete itemization than "household items, garage items, and backyard items."
12. Need Letters.

Note: Upon further review, additional issues may arise.

Note: Upon appointment of a personal representative, the Court will set status hearings as appropriate for the filing of bond, I&A, and account. Dates will be provided at such time that the petition is in a condition to go forward.

13 Stacy Sanchez, Nadine Sanchez, & Fabian Quiroz, JR (GUARD/P)

Case No. 15CEPR00831

Petitioner Cristilde N. Gutierrez (Pro Per)

Petition for Appointment of Guardian of the Person

<p align="center">NO TEMPORARY REQUESTED</p> <p>CRISTILDE N. GUTIERREZ, maternal aunt, is Petitioner.</p> <p align="center"><i>~Please see Petition for details~</i></p> <p>Court Investigator's Report was filed on 10/13/2015.</p>			<p>NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:</p> <p><u>Continued from 2/1/2016.</u> Minute Order states examiner notes provided in open court.</p> <p>The following issues from the last hearing remain:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Need <i>Notice of Hearing</i> and proof of personal service of the Notice with a copy of the <i>Petition for Appointment of Guardian</i>, or <i>Consent to Appointment of Guardian and Waiver of Notice</i>, or a <i>Declaration of Due Diligence</i>, for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fabian Quiroz, father of Fabian, Jr.; • Father of Stacy; • Father of Nadine. 2. Need proof of service by mail of the <i>Notice of Hearing</i> with a copy of the <i>Petition for Appointment of Guardian</i>, or <i>Consent to Appointment of Guardian and Waiver of Notice</i>, or a <i>Declaration of Due Diligence</i>, for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • paternal grandparents of Stacy; • paternal grandparents of Nadine; • Alicia Quiroz, paternal grandmother of Fabian; • paternal grandfather of Fabian; • Mary Santiago, maternal grandmother; • Gustavo Sanchez, maternal grandfather, <i>if Court does not find due diligence per Declaration filed 8/25/2015 stating he was deported in June 2015 and his whereabouts are unknown.</i>
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Petition for Appointment of Guardian of the Person

			See petition for details.	<p>NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:</p> <p><u>Note:</u> This petition pertains to Audie only. Guardianship of Ashlynn was granted to Patricia Hamby (Ashlynn's paternal grandmother) on 2/24/16.</p> <p>1. Although Petitioners answered "No" to all questions in the petition re Indian Child Inquiry; Petitioner Karen Wulf informed the Court Investigator that the child does have Indian heritage. <u>Therefore, continuance of at least 75 days is necessary for the filing of the ICWA-030 Notice and service thereof pursuant to the Indian Child Welfare Act. See Probate Code §1460.2, Cal. Rule of Court 7.1015.</u></p> <p><u>Need Notice of Child Custody Proceeding for Indian Child (ICWA-030)</u> and proof of service by certified mail (return receipt) on all appropriate agencies and tribes/nations.</p> <p>2. Need <u>completed</u> order. Proposed order is incomplete at #7.</p>
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15 Abryanna Clark (GUARD/P)**Case No. 15CEPR00959**

Petitioner Nash, Kjiyana Michelle (Pro Per – Non-Relative)

Objector Clark, LaToya (Pro Per – Mother)

Petition for Appointment of Guardian of the Person

Age: 4	<u>TEMPORARY EXPIRES 03/14/2016</u>	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
	Kjiyana Nash, non-relative, is petitioner.	Note: Maternal Grandmother, Peggy Burford, filed a Petition for Guardianship on 03/04/2015. Hearing is set for 05/10/2016.
	<u>Please see petition for details</u>	Minute Order of 02/01/2016: Kjiyana Nash represents that despite what her Probation Officer reported to the Court Investigator, she has paid her fines and that her community service hours are down to 26 hours, stating that she can speak to her PO and bring proof. LaToya Clark is ordered to go to the Court Investigator and update with regard to her recent arrest.
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NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:

2. Need proof of service fifteen (15) days prior to the hearing of the Notice of Hearing along with a copy of the Petition for Appointment of Guardian or consent and waiver of notice or declaration of due diligence for:

- Paternal Grandparents (Not Listed)
- Maternal Grandfather (Not Listed)

Note: Notice of Hearing filed 10/07/2015 shows an individual by the name of Kemal Clark was personally served on 10/01/2015 however it is unclear what the relationship is to the minor.

3. Notice of Hearing with proof of service filed 10/07/2015 shows Laurie Scott served Kemal Clark who resides in Clovis, New Mexico on 10/01/2015 at 12:00pm and Peggy Clark who resides in Riverdale, Illinois on 10/01/2015 at 12pm. Need clarification.

For Objector:

1. Need proof of service of Objection to Guardianship filed by Latoya Clark on 02/02/2016 served on guardian, Kjiyana Nash.

16 The Harry Robitschek Trust under agreement dated October 31, 1994
Case No. 15CEPR01042

Attorney Pape, Jeffrey B. (for Petitioner Paula Robitschek-Silva)

Account and Petition for Settlement of Account and for Distribution of Trust

DOD: 6/12/15		PAULA ROBITSCHKEK-SILVA , Trustee, is Petitioner.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS: Note: Order on Petition to Instruct Trustee entered 12/3/15 authorized the sale of the residence to heir Carol Gaor. See petition and order re the \$26,000 credit on her share of the trust estate.
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Account period: 6/12/15 – 1/27/16 Accounting: \$136,990.63 Beginning POH: \$131,387.00 Ending POH: \$106,942.76 (cash)			
Petitioner states the residence was sold for a gross sales price of \$130,000.00. See escrow statement at Exhibit B.			
Trustee (reimbursement): \$7,486.38 (Schedule "I" Liabilities itemizes funeral expenses and attorney fees and costs paid.)			
Reserve: \$5,000.00 (for final income tax return, any tax that may be due, and any other proper administrative expenses)			
Petitioner states distributions pursuant to the terms of the trust after above expenses and reserve will be as follows:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Terry Garratt: \$30,114.10 (1/4 share) Laura Escovedo: \$30,114.10 (1/4 share) Carol Gaor: \$4,114.09 (1/4 share, after credit of \$26,000.00 applied to her purchase of the residence) Paula Silva-Robitshek: \$30,114.09 (1/4 share) 			
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File 16- Robitschek			

17A Marjorie Johnson (Estate)

Case No. 15CEPR01077

Petitioner Dawn Mafana (Pro Per)
 Attorney Gary G. Bagdasarian (for Competing Petitioner Louise Parks)
 Attorney J. David Petrie (by association of counsel, also for Competing Petitioner Louise Parks)
 Attorney Jan T. Perkins; Curtis Rindlisbacher; Daniel Stein (for Contestant Laurel Jean Seibert)

Petition for Letters of Administration with IAEA

DOD: 6/30/2015		DAWN MAFANA , granddaughter, is Petitioner and requests appointment as Administrator without bond (<i>All heirs waive bond</i>). Full IAEA — OK Decedent died intestate. Residence — Kerman Publication — The Kerman News	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS: <u>Page 17B</u> is the competing <i>Petition for Probate</i> filed by LOUISE PARKS . <u>Page 17C</u> is the <i>Contest and Grounds of Objection to Petition for Probate of Purported Will</i> filed by LAUREL JEAN SEIBERT . <u>Continued from 2/2/2016</u> . Minute Order states matter is continued to the date of the Will Contest. The following issue from the last hearing remains: 1. Item 5(a) of the <i>Petition</i> is incomplete as to (3) or (4) re: registered domestic partner. Note: If <i>Petition</i> is granted, Court will set status hearings as follows: • Monday, August 15, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. in Dept. 303 for filing of inventory and appraisal; and • Monday, May 15, 2017 at 9:00 a.m. in Dept. 303 for filing of first account and/or petition for final distribution. Pursuant Local Rule 7.5, if the documents noted above are filed 10 days prior to the dates listed, the hearings will be taken off calendar and no appearance will be required.
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Personal property - \$60,000.00			
Total - \$60,000.00			
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Petitioner Dawn Mafana (Pro Per)
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 Attorney J. David Petrie (by association of counsel, also for Competing Petitioner Louise Parks)
 Attorney Jan T. Perkins; Curtis Rindlisbacher; Daniel Stein (for Contestant Laurel Jean Seibert)

Petition for Probate Will and for Letters Testamentary; Authorization to Administer Under the Independent Administration of Estates Act

DOD: 6/30/2015	LOUISE PARKS , Beneficiary/friend and named Executor, is Petitioner, and requests appointment without Bond.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS: <u>Continued from 2/2/2016.</u> Minute Order states Court finds the publication acceptable. Matter is continued to the date of the Will Contest. 1. Petitioner requests no bond be required despite that she is a resident of Warner, Oklahoma, because (1) she is the sole heir pursuant to the terms of the Will dated [4/27/2011]; and (2) the only asset of which Petitioner is aware is a Promissory Note dated 6/3/2015 in the face amount of \$40,000.00 , which was payable at a 7% interest rate with interest-only payments made monthly and all principal due and payable 7/1/2018. Court may require bond pursuant to Probate Code § 8480 et seq., or waivers of bond pursuant to Probate Code § 8481(a)(1) due to the competing petitions. Note: If <i>Petition</i> is granted, Court will set status hearings as follows: • Monday, August 15, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. in Dept. 303 for filing of inventory and appraisal; and • Monday, May 15, 2017 at 9:00 a.m. in Dept. 303 for filing of first account and/or petition for final distribution. Pursuant Local Rule 7.5, if the documents noted above are filed 10 days prior to the dates listed, the hearings will be taken off calendar and no appearance will be required.
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 Attorney Gary G. Bagdasarian (for Competing Petitioner Louise Parks)
 Attorney J. David Petrie (by association of counsel, also for Competing Petitioner Louise Parks)
 Attorney Jan T. Perkins; Curtis Rindlisbacher; Daniel Stein (for Contestant Laurel Jean Seibert)

Contest and Grounds of Objection to Petition for Probate of Purported Will

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Contestant alleges, continued:

- Decedent's purported Will is not and never was Decedent's Will, and was made at the time of its alleged execution as a result of undue influence of the Respondent in that:
 - Respondent lived with Decedent during the time when the purported Will was allegedly executed and occupied a position of trust and confidence with Decedent;
 - During this time, Respondent held herself out as a prophet and Decedent believed that she needed to comply with the requests of Respondent;
 - During this same period of time, Respondent was able to exert control and influence over the mind of the Decedent to such a point that Decedent was no longer capable of exercising her own conviction or desire with regard to her actions or thoughts;
 - Rather, because of the pressure brought on Decedent by Respondent, both by arguments and entreaty, Decedent's convictions or desires became the convictions or desires imposed on her by Respondent;
 - During this time, which Decedent was under Respondent's undue influence, Respondent suggested the contents of the document submitted for probate to the Court by Respondent, arranged for the purported execution of the purported document, and caused the Decedent to execute the purported document;
 - At the time the document was purported executed, Decedent was wholly under the influence of Respondent and the purported document does not represent the free and voluntary act of Decedent.
- Contestant alleges the presumption created by Probate Code § 21380 requires a finding that the purported Will is the product of fraud or undue influence because:
 - Respondent actually drafted the purported Will for Decedent;
 - Respondent was in a fiduciary relationship with Contestant in that she was designated by Decedent as her agent under a power of attorney for healthcare and Respondent transcribed or caused to be transcribed the purported Will;
 - Decedent was a resident of the State of California at the time of the purported execution of the purported Will although she was living temporarily with Respondent in the State of Oklahoma.

Contestant requests that:

1. Probate of the purported Will be denied;
2. Costs of suit be granted; and
3. Reasonable attorney's fees be granted under Probate Code § 21380(d).

Petitioner: Melissa Puga (pro per)

Objector: Amanda Puga (pro per)

Petition for Appointment of Guardian of the Person

		<u>TEMPORARY EXPIRES 3/14/16</u>	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
		MELISSA PUGA , maternal grandmother, is petitioner.	Continued from 2/1/16. Minute order states Petitioner is to make efforts to serve the paternal grandfather and Esther Alvarado, the paternal grandmother. The Court will consider a text message notice that contains all of the pertinent information, the phone used should be brought to court for the Court's review of the message.
		Please see petition for details.	
Cont. from 020116		Objections of mother, Amanda Puga filed on 12/10/15	1. Need proof of service of the Notice of Hearing along with a copy of the Petition or Consent and Waiver of Notice or Declaration of Due Diligence on: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Paternal grandfather Esther Ramirez [Alvarado] (paternal grandmother)
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Petition for Authorization for Trustee to Expend Trust Assets for Reimbursement of and Approval for Expenses, and for Approval of Attorneys' Fees

Age: 6		<p>CAROLYN YOUNG, Trustee, is Petitioner.</p> <p>Petitioner states she is the current trustee of the Jovani Youssef Settlement Trust established pursuant to Probate Code §3600, et seq., by order of Fresno County Superior Court on 8/20/15 in 10CECG03582.</p> <p>The Trust was funded with \$290,055.42 on 10/6/15. The trust will become revocable and likely terminate on 10/9/27. The beneficiary is a minor who currently lives with his maternal grandparents in Egypt. His mother passed away five days after giving birth to Jovani. Jovani's father, Romani Youssef, currently lives in Fresno.</p> <p>Petitioner seeks authorization from this Court to expend assets in the amount of \$32,113.20 to reimburse Romani Youssef for 50% of his personal funds expended in the amount of \$64,226.41 for necessary expenditures for the benefit of Jovani prior to the establishment of the trust as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 MoneyGrams sent to Egypt between 4/4/11 and 12/29/14 totaling \$6,011.41 (see attached copies of MoneyGrams); • Cash of \$1,500.00 carried to Egypt by friends (see attached letters from friends who carried cash); • \$1,380 for a roundtrip airline ticket from Los Angeles to Alexandria on 5/31/11 to 6/11/11 for Mr. Youssef to visit Jovani (see attached travel itinerary); • An additional \$55,335.00 was spent for Jovani and his grandparents to travel to and from Egypt (\$14,100), for childcare expenses (\$14,000); lost wages when Mr. Youssef travelled to Egypt (\$15,000), long distance phone bills (\$5,100), pre-school expenses (\$4,000) (see attached itemization) <p style="text-align: center;"><u>SEE ADDITIONAL PAGES</u></p>	<p>NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:</p> <p><u>SEE ADDITIONAL PAGES</u></p>	
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Petitioner states all of these expenses directly result from the loss of Jovani's mother and the need for him to live in Egypt with his grandparents. Jovani's father as a single working parent cannot provide the proper home environment to raise a small child and the best option for Jovani's future is for him to live with his caring grandparents. Unfortunately, the distance of their home and the costs involved in supporting Jovani there are significant.

Due to the extraordinary nature of Jovani's living situation and the costs associated therewith, Petitioner requests that Mr. Youssef be reimbursed 50% of the \$64,226.41, or \$32,113.20, for disbursements he made using personal funds for the benefit of Jovani.

Request for authorization to expend trust assets for ongoing expenses: Petitioner states currently, Jovani's maternal grandparents provide for all his needs. They pay for Jovani's schooling, his psychotherapy, and all of his living expenses. The estimate for the annual expenses is \$25,000. Petitioner seeks authorization to expend trust assets in the amount of \$3,125 every three months to finance 50% or \$12,500 of the estimated annual expenses for Jovani's needs and benefits. The other 50% will be financed by his father and his maternal grandparents.

Attorneys' fees: Petitioner states the trustee has engaged the services of the Dale Law Firm in preparation of this petition and its presentation to the Court. The law firm is entitled to reasonable compensation. **Declaration filed 2/22/16 requests \$2,106.66 as follows:**

- Legal fees of \$1,470 for 7 paralegal hours @ \$150/hr and 1.4 attorney hours @ \$300/hr, for correspondence, case review, preparation of this petition
- Costs of \$216.66 for overnight mailing, photocopies, courtcall appearance, etc.
- Anticipated fee of \$450.00 for 1 hour of attorney time and 1 hour of paralegal time that will be further expended in preparing for and appearing at the hearing.
- Unspecified credit of \$30.00.

Petitioner prays that this Court find and order as follows:

1. That notice of hearing for this matter has been given as required by law;
2. That the Court authorize the Trustee of the Jovani Youssef Settlement Trust to reimburse Mr. Youssef in the amount of \$32,113.20 for disbursements made from personal funds for the benefit of Jovani;
3. That the Court approve quarterly disbursements from the Jovani Youssef Settlement Trust in the amount of \$3,125 for Jovani's ongoing needs;
4. That the Court authorize and direct Petitioner to pay from the Jovani Youssef Settlement Trust to the Dale Law Firm reasonable compensation for legal services as set forth in the declaration; and
5. For such other order and relief as the Court deems proper and just.

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Page 3 – NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:

1. Petitioner states the minor beneficiary resides with his maternal grandparents in Egypt, but does not include the grandparents in the list of persons entitled to notice of this petition pursuant to Probate Code §17201 and did not serve them pursuant to §17203. Pursuant to Probate Code §1460.1 and Cal. Rule of Court 7.51(d), notice is required to be sent to the persons with whom the minor resides. Therefore, need declaration containing their names and address(es) and continuance for proper notice (at least 30 days) to minor's grandparents.
2. Petitioner also does not include herself as Trustee in the list of persons entitled to notice of this petition (with address) pursuant to Probate Code §§ 17201, 17203. Need declaration containing the trustee's address. Note: It is unclear whether the trustee is a friend or relative, or is a professional fiduciary. The Court may require clarification.
3. Need proof of bond of at least \$319,060.96, which includes cost of recovery pursuant to Probate Code §2320(c)(4), Cal. Rules of Court 7.207, 7.903. See Trust Article Seven, Section 2 and Order Attachment 12.
4. Petitioner provides the initial funding amount (\$290,055.42) but does not indicate the current balance of the trust or state how funds are held. Have any other expenditures have been made from the trust since the initial funding in October 2015?
5. Petitioner states at Paragraph 6(d) on Page 2 that \$55,335 was spent on various expenses; however, the itemized expenses listed total \$52,500, not \$55,335 (a difference of \$2,835).
6. The Court may require receipts from Jovani's grandparents and caregivers for the \$7,511.41 in MoneyGrams and cash delivered by friends and the \$14,000.00 reportedly paid to them for child care expenses.
7. Petitioner requests \$15,000 for lost wages to visit his son, itemized as "3 weeks off from work for each trip x 3 trips - \$15,000.00." The Court may require further information regarding Mr. Youssef's profession and wages/wage structure.
8. The Court may require further information regarding the \$5,100.00 in long distance phone bills, itemized as phone/skype/internet at \$85/month for five years. (This amount appears to be a typical household monthly expense regardless of the minor residing in Egypt.)
9. The itemization re the \$4,000 paid for pre-school indicates "\$1,000/year x 3 years (paid by father in law?)." Need clarification. If the minor's grandparent paid this expense, why is it requested to be reimbursed to the father?

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Page 4 – NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS (Cont'd):

10. The Court may require further information regarding the minor's current support situation with reference to a parent's duty to support his or her minor child and with reference to any other income/support that is currently available to the minor and/or caregivers. Are there any formal custody or support agreements or orders or public or other assistance in place or being received? If so, by whom and from whom?
11. With regard to the request for quarterly support payments: Petitioner does not state who the \$3,125 would be paid to. Would this money be paid directly to Jovani's grandparents with whom he resides?
12. Attorney's declaration requests costs of \$216.66; however, all costs appear to be for items considered costs of doing business pursuant to Local Rule 7.17 and not reimbursable. The Court may disallow \$216.66.
13. The Court may require authority and/or other relevant details regarding the trust and payments and support therefrom that may be relevant due to the minor permanently residing outside of the State of California in a foreign country.

Note: The Court will set status hearings as follows:

- Monday, April 11, 2016 for filing of bond
- Monday, December 5, 2016 for the filing of the first account

If the proper items are on file, the status hearings may come off calendar. See Local Rule 7.5.

Petitioner Artellan, Cathy (Pro Per – Maternal Grandmother – Petitioner)

Petitioner Artellan, Gerald (Pro Per – Maternal Step-Grandfather – Petitioner)

Petition for Appointment of Guardian of the Person

See petition for details.			NEEDS/PROBLEMS/ COMMENTS:
			<p>1. Need Notice of Hearing.</p> <p>2. Need proof of personal service of Notice of Hearing with a copy of the petition at least 15 days prior to the hearing per Probate Code §1511 <u>or</u> consent and waiver of notice <u>or</u> further diligence on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Joe A. Rocha (Father) - Krystle L. Peralta (Mother) <p>3. Need proof of service of Notice of Hearing with a copy of the petition at least 15 days prior to the hearing per Probate Code §1511 <u>or</u> consent and waiver of notice <u>or</u> declaration of due diligence on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Paternal Grandfather - Paternal Grandmother - Maternal Grandfather
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Petitioner Garcia, Gloria Lira (Pro Per – Maternal Grandmother – Petitioner)

Petitioner Gonzalez, Juanita (Pro Per – Maternal Aunt – Petitioner)

Petition for Appointment of Guardian of the Person

			See petition for details.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS: 1. Need proof of personal service of Notice of Hearing with a copy of the petition at least 15 days prior to the hearing per Probate Code §1511 <u>or</u> consent and waiver of notice <u>or</u> declaration of due diligence on: - Leticia Gonzalez (Mother) 2. Need proof of service of Notice of Hearing with a copy of the petition at least 15 days prior to the hearing per Probate Code §1511 <u>or</u> consent and waiver of notice <u>or</u> declaration of due diligence on: - Paternal Grandfather (name not listed) - Maternal Grandfather Alberto Gonzalez - Siblings age 12 or older 3. Need clarification: Notice of Hearing filed 3/7/16 indicates service on Mario Garcia; however, this person is not identified. Is this the paternal grandfather, or other relative?
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**Petition for Probate of Will and for Letters of Administration with
Will Annexed with IAEA**

DOD: 1/26/2015		<p>MELISSA GARCIA daughter, is petitioner and requests appointment as Administrator with will annexed without bond</p> <p>Full IAEA – o.k.</p> <p>All heirs waive bond</p> <p>Holographic will dated: 7/8/2012</p> <p>Residence: Del Rey</p> <p>Publication: Business Journal</p> <p>Estimated value of the estate:</p> <table> <tr> <td>Personal property</td> <td>\$ 1,250.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Annual gross income</td> <td>\$ 0.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Real property</td> <td>\$ 160,000.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total</td> <td>\$ 161,250.00</td> </tr> </table> <p>Probate Referee: Steven Diebert</p>	Personal property	\$ 1,250.00	Annual gross income	\$ 0.00	Real property	\$ 160,000.00	Total	\$ 161,250.00	<p>NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Need proof of holographic instrument (DE-135). 2. Item 5a(3)(4) of the petition was not answered re: registered domestic partner. <p>Note: If granted, the Court will set status hearings as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tuesday, August 16, 2016 for filing Inventory and Appraisal • Tuesday, May 16, 2017 for filing the first account or petition for final distribution <p>Pursuant to Local Rule 7.5 if the required documents are filed 10 days prior to the hearings on the matter the status hearing will come off calendar and no appearance will be required.</p>
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**Petition for Letters of Administration and Authorization to Administer Under
the Independent Administration of Estates Act**

DOD: 11/29/2009		GERALDINE LAVONNE COLLINS , spouse, is petitioner and requests appointment as administrator with Limited IAEA with bond of \$87,000.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS: Note: If granted, the Court will set status hearings as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tuesday, August 16, 2016 for filing Inventory and Appraisal Tuesday, May 16, 2017 for filing the first account or petition for final distribution Pursuant to Local Rule 7.5 if the required documents are filed 10 days prior to the hearings on the matter the status hearing will come off calendar and no appearance will be required.			
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Probate Referee: Rick Smith

25 Johnny Hernandez, Jr and Amina Hernandez (GUARD/P) Case No. 16CEPR00219
Petitioner: Patricia Casal Romero - Paternal Grandmother (Pro Per)

Petition for Appointment of Temporary Guardian of the Person

		<u>GENERAL HEARING 5/2/2016</u>	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
		PATRICIA CASAL ROMERO paternal grandmother, is petitioner	1. Need Notice of Hearing. 2. Need proof of personal service of the Notice of Hearing along with a copy of the temporary petition, at least 5 court days prior to the hearing or Consent and Waiver of Notice or Declaration of Due Diligence for: a. Johnny Joe Hernandez (father) b. Namah Azmi Moltmmad Jamaledin (mother)
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Petitioner: Diana Moreno – Paternal Grandmother (Pro Per)

Petition for Appointment of Temporary Guardian of the Person

		<u>GENERAL HEARING 5/9/2016</u>	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
		DIANA H. MORENO , paternal grandmother, is petitioner	3. Need Notice of Hearing. 4. Need proof of personal service of the Notice of Hearing along with a copy of the temporary petition, at least 5 court days prior to the hearing or Consent and Waiver of Notice or Declaration of Due Diligence for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Mark Anthony Moreno (father) b. Naydine Bazan (mother)
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